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In re Application of Sumner et al.

Serial No. 09/521,242

Group Art Unit: 2121

Filed: 5 April 2000

Examiner: George B. Davis

For:

COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE AND PROCESS OF

PATIENT GENERATION, EVOLUTION AND SIMULATION

FOR COMPUTER BASED TESTING SYSTEM

USING BAYESIAN NETWORKS AS A SCRIPTING LANGUAGE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

No additional fee is required.

[] Small Entity Status has been previously established.[X] Also attached: Replacement Sheets for Figures 1-18

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- Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>08-0219</u> in the amount of <u>\$950.00</u>. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>08-0219</u>, including any filing fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This communication is in response to the Advisory Action of October 27, 2003. As the response period from the Final Office Action of July 8, 2003 expired on October 8, 2003, a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and the necessary fee is filed herewith.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 7 of this paper.

Authorization begins on page 8 of this paper.